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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Assistant Secretary for Security
Department of State

SUBJECT: Erik HEINE

1. Reference is made to your Visa Action Request for information dated 28 March 1967, carbon copy attached, on Erik HEINE, born 11 September 1919 in Estonia.

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3. This Agency continues to regard HEINE as a dispatched KGB agent, but owing to the pending lawsuit we request that no action be taken to bar his entry into the United States without prior coordination with this Agency. Since HEINE is now a Canadian citizen we assume he no longer needs a visa to visit the United States, and we would therefore appreciate being advised of the reason for initiating the visa action request.

FOR THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR PLANS

JAMES ANGLETON

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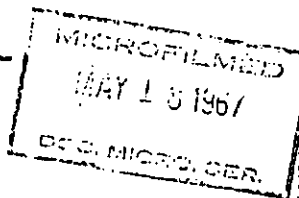
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